

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
OFFICE OF BOAT REGISTRATION & LICENSING

APPLICATION FOR INITIAL VESSEL CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

(Please print or type requested information)

Name(s) of Owner(s) _____
List name(s) to appear on title. Last name(s) first. See Item #2 on reverse side for co-owner's signature information.
Resident Address _____
(Street & Number) (City) (State) (Zip)

R.I. Reg. No.	Name of Manufacturer	Model Yr.	Hull Identification Number (Required for all manufactured vessels)	
Hull Material		Propulsion		Fuel
<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Wood <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Fiberglass		<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Outboard <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Inboard/Outboard		<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Gas
<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Aluminum <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Inflatable		<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Inboard <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Air Propelled		<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Diesel
<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Steel <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Other _____		<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Sail <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Other _____ Specify		<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Other _____ Specify
Use of Vessel		Length of Vessel		* State of Origin
<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Pleasure <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Canoe		Ft. In.		
<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Dealer <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Comm. Canoe		Cost of Vessel		Cost of Motor (if outboard)
<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Manufacturer <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Commercial				

* To be completed when a used vessel is being transferred from another state to Rhode Island. Annotate in this block the registration number issued by the previous state. The original copy of most current registration from a non-title state or the actual title document from a title state must be surrendered at time of application.

APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS THE FOLLOWING LIEN STATEMENTS ARE COMPLETED

I (We) certify that all liens on this vessel are listed below: Note: Annotate "None" if none exists.

Lien Holder's Name _____	Date of Lien _____
Street Address _____	\$ Amount of Lien _____
City & State _____ (Zip)	

If additional liens exist, attach a listing of the liens to this application. Give all information requested under this section.

If a lien exists against this vessel, the issued title will be mailed to the lien holder to be held until the lien is satisfied.

I (We) hereby certify that I am (we are) the owner(s) of the above described vessel and that there is no lien against said vessel except as shown in this application. I (We) further certify that no title or registration has been previously issued for this vessel except as noted on this application.

Signature of Owner _____ Date of Birth _____

Signature of Co-Owner _____ Date of Birth _____

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
COUNTY OF _____

Sworn to and subscribed
before me _____ 20____

Notary Public

My commission expires _____ (Seal)

	Owner	Co-Owner
Are you a R.I. resident?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are you an alien?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
(See Item #3 on reverse side.)		

11-18-1. Giving false document to agent, employee, or public official. — No person shall knowingly give to any agent, employee, or servant in public or private employ, or public official any receipt, account, or other document in respect of which the principal, master, or employer, or state, city, or town of which he is an official is interested, which contains any statement which is false or erroneous, or defective in any important particular, and which, to his knowledge, is intended to mislead the principal, master, employer, or state, city, or town of which he is an official. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, on conviction thereof, be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for a term not exceeding one (1) year, or be fined not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

(SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR APPLICATION INFORMATION)

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Use: Application for Initial Vessel Certificate of Title is a generic form that is to be used by the owner(s) of any boat that is not USCG Documented and is being titled in the state of Rhode Island. This application is to be completed by the vessel owner(s) reflecting all owner(s) & lienholders and other information as requested on the face of this application. This application is to be filed with the State of RI DEM Office of Boat Registration & Licensing 235 Promenade St. Providence, RI 02908.

Accompanying Documents: Please refer to instruction sheet titled Boat Registration Requirements

Fees:

\$25.00 Title Fee - First title issued in the state of RI, boat has no bank loan

\$15.00 Filing Fee - To be added to title fee if boat has a bank loan

\$5.00 Duplicate Fee – To issue a duplicate or corrected title

\$5.00 Transfer Fee – RI titled boats only

Cautions:

1. When the ownership of a vessel is listed in more than one name, each owner must sign the application.
2. Insure that all spaces are completed in full and that all information is legible.
3. Insure that lien information on face of application is complete with name & address of lien holder, date and amount of lien. Whether or not boat has a loan, please complete this space. If boat has no loan, please write the word “NONE” in the lien space. Please do not leave this space blank. Applications will not be accepted unless the lien space on the face of the application is completed.
4. Insure that application is properly signed & notarized.
5. Insure that any initial title application for a vessel previously registered and/or titled in another state is submitted with the appropriate original registration (if boat is being transferred from a non title state) or original title if boat is being transferred from a title state. In addition, insure that the previous registration number is annotated in the block provided on the face of this application form under section State of Origin.

FAILURE TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN THE DELAY
OF REGISTRATION & TITLING OF VESSEL